WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- 1. A probe coming into contact with an electrode pad of a measurement object, comprising:
- a connection terminal part integrally formed and connected to a substrate;
 - a contact part having a tapered configuration; and
 - a supporting part which supports the contact part,

wherein the contact part extending from an end of the supporting part has a sectional configuration which shares at least one side face with the supporting part.

- 2. The probe according to claim 1, wherein the contact part is formed of an electrically conductive material having superior electric characteristics.
- 3. The probe according to claim 1, wherein the contact part is formed of a metal material having elasticity.